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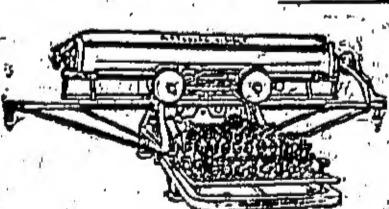
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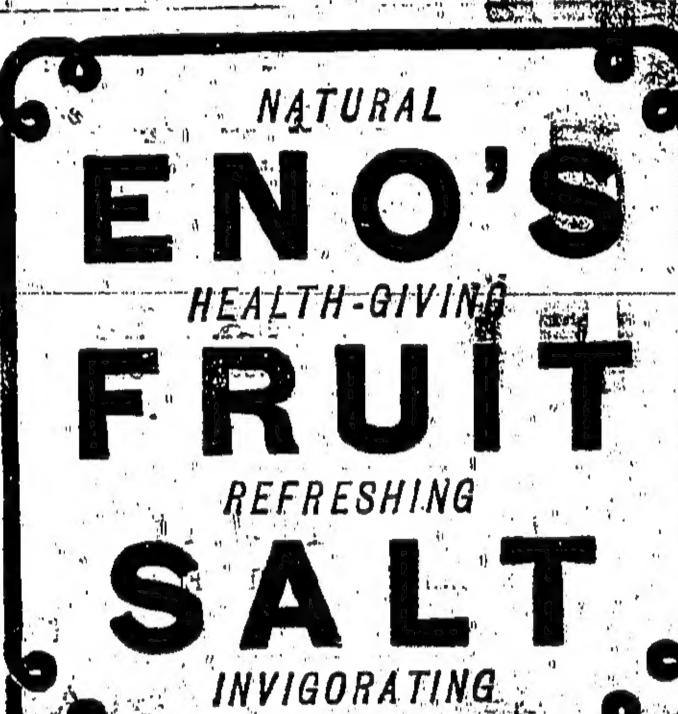
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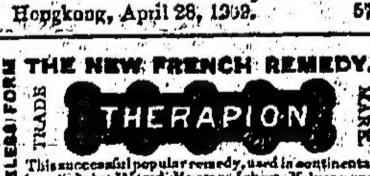
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SCOTTISH LETTER.

Sir George M'Crae has been closely identified with the municipal and politica life of Edinburgh, and at one time occupied the position of City Treasurer. For over thirty years he was associated with the Volunteer omovement, and is now the Colonel of the 5th Royal Scots. Territorialists. He sat on the Royal Commission on Physical Training for Scotland, and on the War Office Committee on Volunteer Transport. His strong point is finance, and when the Young Scots made up a probable Government under a Scottish Home Kule Chancellor of the Exchequer.

The appointment necessitates his retirement from Parliament, and a vacancy will be caused in the representation of East Edinburgh. Political parties in the YOKOHAMA: M. Asada, Esq. it has long been expected that a post of some kind would be found for so militant and capable a Radical who was at the MANILA : Messrs Macondray & business and of all the wirepulling in the North. The seat is looked upon as a safe one, else the Government would not have dared to test the constituency. At the last General Election, the Radical poll was 6,606, and the Unionist 2,433; but it is certain that these figures will be greatly. modified in the coming contest. The Uniquists have a good candidate in the field, Mr Patrick J. Ford, advocate. He has been before the constituency for some months, and is a convinced Tariff Reformer.

THE TERRITORIALS. The first year of the new Territorial Army ended on Slat March, and although official figures are not available, there have of late been daily reports in the newspapers of the progress of the recruiting, and a actual strength. The boom in Scotland. started much later than in England; in the cities it has not lested more then a month, and it has not yet reached some of the outlying districts. On the 25th February, the last date for which we have an official a return, there was a shortage of 15,066 men in Scotland; the percentage of strength in the Highlands being 72.3, and in the Lowlands 70.2, The Lowlands, indeed, were at the bottom of the list for the whole country, their unfavourable position being commented upon by Mr Baldane in the House of Commons. That deficiency has now been greatly reduced, and is believed it cannot be more than 4,000. The shortage s greatest in the ranks of the infantry The establishment of the artillery, yeamanry, and engineers is either complete; or so near completion that the officers wil accept more but select man, and advise al

others to join the foot battalions. A healthy rivalry existed between Edinburgh and Glasgow, and the Western city is pluming itself on having got the largest percentage, - Glasgow is about 266 men below establishment, and Edinburgh requires close on 500. The comparison, however, is scarcely fair to the Capital: it has to contribute 6,000 men, and Glasgows with three times the population, only 10,000. This is one of the anomalies of the scheme which will have to be considered in the near future. The commanding officers express themselves as confident that the gaps will be filled up in good time for the annual training camps. "

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Mr Haldane's idea, was that men of various trades should join those arms oc the service where their acquired skill would prove valuable. The recruits however, do not seem to look at the matter in 111 the same light. One officer says that men have told him that their idea in joining a particular arm was to got as far away aspossible from the work with which they wore associated in every day life, an engineer, instead of joining a technical unit, would join the infantry, and so on. This officer's experience is a familiar one. Undoubtedly, a great deal of civilian skil is going to waste in the Territorials. No one suggests a remedy, except that of | lee on of compulsory service, and power to allot the | half prices recruits to the corps in which they would

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TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Society will be held at its Head Office, No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 7th May, 1909, at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of confirming the following Special Resolution, which was duly passed at an Extraordinary Meeting of the Society held on the 21st April, 1909 :-

That the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Society be respec-tively extended, altered and emended so as to read as shown in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chairman of this Meeting: and that such extended, altered and amended Memorandum and Articles of Association be henceforth adopted as the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Society to the exclusion of those heretofore pre-

By Order of the Board of Directors. C. MONTAGUE EDE,

Hongkong, April 21, 1909.

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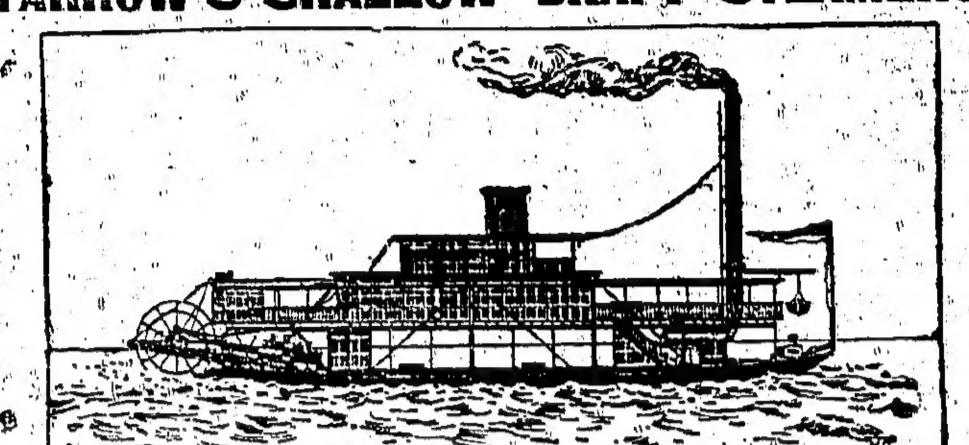
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General Memoranda, TUREDAY. May 4 :--11 a.m. -Tenders for Government Bills

Pay Department. 2.20 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at late rusidence of Mr G.C. C. Master, No. 4, Morrison Hill. 2.20 p.m. -Auction of Household Furniture, &c. at No. 1, Bonham Read. Goods per Austria undelivered after this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, MAy 5:- . 4-11 p.m.-Grand Fête in Botanic, Gar-Good per Delta not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent. THURSDAY, May 6:-

11 a.m. Auction of Nernat Electric Lamps and Accessories, at Messra-Hughes & Hough's Sales Rooms. 2.30 p.m -Auction of Household Furniture &c., at Mr Goo. P. Lammert's Sales Rooms Goeds per Benorty undelivered after this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, May 7 :-12.30 p.m. - Meeting of Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld., at Head Office. 12.45 p.m .- Meeting of China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld., at Head Office. Goods per Scandia undelivered after this date subject to rent.

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The China Mail

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1909.

THE CHINA ASSOCIATION.

LIGHT DRY \$12.00 Ir will have been noted by the special report printed by us last, evening from the pen of our London correspondent, that the Committee of the China Association in England'is keeping in excellent touch with affairs in the Middle Kingdom. The report presented by Sir Cuastes

Duning was, as usual, a very comprehensive resume of the situation and GREEN SEAL CAPSULE 18.00 touched upon nearly every matter of vital importance which has come up for exploited she would place herself of the Emperon and Empress Downger regarding railway building. But the opinion that the name of the Express-Dowlers would go down to posterity as one of the most" remarkable and renowned potentates in the history of the world. Of this there can be little doubt and when the mists which still cling. thickly around the Chinese Court shall have cleared away a little and time has allowed historians to bring her powerful at the present day. personality within proper focussing range, the verdict of Sir Changes, a very astute observer, will, we imagine, be more than confirmed. We note that the Chairman of the China Association went on to observe :- The succession | the Magistracy to-day. they had witnessed was seemingly penceful, but the promise of progress

and reform was rudely shaken by the dismissal of YUAN SHIE-KAI and they looked to the future to develop the real policy of the present administration, But does it not strike Sir Chantes that perhaps Yuan Sum kar has been rather overrated by the foreign community, and that the Chinese rulers have taken a juster measure of the man? Cortainly the Chinese with whom we have discussed the question of Yvan Sum-KAI's character and ability were not the prescher. prepared to rate him anywhere highly as Tang Shao-ri. But perhaps in this case we must make allowance for the fact that the latter is

a Cantonese and therefore very much

closer to the hearts of the Southern

und ex-Viceroy of Child, who happens to be a native of Anhui.

Naturally the recent Commission on the Opium question which sat at Shanghai, came in for more than passing reference and Sir Changes expressed regret at the withdrawal of the British delegates' resolution expressing disap- and child are doing well." After the dispointment at China's inability or failure to produce trustworthy evidence. That represented to his mind, he said, the crux of the situation. "These of them who know the Chinese methods of obscuration smiled at the House of Commons statement that they must act up to the standard set by the Chinese Government, As a matter of fact China evinced little more than Oriental interest in the question," and they should be made aware that they 9 p.m.—Performance of Hippodrome must make up their mind that no one Princess in Europe.

Circus at Causewhy Bay. would be duped into making material sacrifices for the sake of sham reforms, These words will find an echo in many of the Treaty Ports of China and in May 6. Hongkong, but so far as the great British public at Home are concerned we

received by . Chief Paymaster, Army fear they will fall on deaf cars. Other matters touched upon by the perennial questions of the piracy trade marks in Japan and Korea, the ever, caused "serious foreboding" eventual financial disaster for the Chinese empire ; and the railway and mining situation. Sir Charles, we read, complained that in regard to the railways China showed many evidences of lack in 1912. of good faith and, in regard to mining, enterprise in that direction was at present practically impossible owing to British squadron during its stay in Tokyo Chinese obstruction. This, again, is an old, old tale, but nevertheless it cannot be ommitted in any impartial review of the present situation in China, Water constantly dropping will wear away the hardest stone. Perhaps these constant May 1st, 1909. reminders from the outside world that reform is urgently needed will gradually impress themselves upon the adamantine crust of conservation which enshrouds the average, Chinese official. That the ancient empire is beginning to stir with new life we feel quite sure, but there are certain things which the Chinese seem scarcely yet to realise the importance of, and which must be taken in hand seriously if the country is to be saved from the disasters which are imminently threntening. These are currency reform and more elastic mining regulations. By putting her financial system on a sure basis China would quickly relieve herself of innumerable difficulties; while by allowing her Gazette that His Excellency the Governor vast mineral resources to be properly public discussion during the part possession of funds that would enable twelve months. Referring to the deaths her, to free herself from all anxieties last November Sir CHARLES expressed present her leading men are too much absorbed in Court intrigues and petty squabbles as to precedence and place to allow of such questions being dealt with

ITEMS AT THE COURTS

riddles, so puzzling to outside observers

befitting fashion. Meanwhile all that

the China Association can do is to go

For stealing a quantity of nickle and lead from the Officers Mess at Stonccutter's Island, a provision coolie was remanded at

A sentence of six weeks' imprisonment and six hours stocks was imposed on native, at the Magistracy to-day, for stealing afframe and several photographs.

A native returned from banlahment and at the Magistracy to-day was sentenced to six months, hard labour besides one month and six hours stocks for stealing several

Mr Charles Norman Ross Mackenzie who has been a missionary of the Church Missionary Society since 1902, having lately been stationed at Liemchow, near Pakhol, is to be ordained descon at the morning of Victoria. service at the Cathedral on Sunday June 6. The Rev. E. J. Barnett, M.A., will be

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THE BABY PRINCESS

A feeling of profound thankfulness must purvaile Holland and the possessions of the Dutch Crown to-day. The long desired, engerly expected, forvently prayed for Heir to the Throne of the Netherlands has appeared at the Hague, and according to the usual formula, which we trust is absolutely true in the present case, " mothe appointments of previous years this happy result calls for all the more sincere congratulations. The Dutch worship their gentle, little Queen: they have shared her hopes to the full and for months most elaborate proparations have been under way in all the lands which acknowledge the sway. the House of Orange, to fittingly welcome the little strangers If the good wishes of all the world, the prayers of a singularly united nation, and the love of her own family go for anything," then the little Princers of Orango-Nassau has come into the world richly dowered. The offering our congratulations we leave to express the hope that a long and

prosperous life lies before the youngest

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Prince Fushimi remains in Peking till

The English Mail of the 3rd April was delivered in London on the 30th April.

China Association's report were the St. Andrew's, Kowloon, at the Evening Chinesegtimber hong in Ningpo recently Service to mergew (2nd May) at 6 p.m.

> It seems rather early days, but American newspapers are already talking of Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, as the

Democratic candidate for the Presidency The Municipal Council of Tokyo are giving a civic reception in honour of Vice-Admiral Sir Hedworth Lambton and the

Under a regulation made by the Governor-in-Council no dogs brought from Bangkok will be permitted to hand in this Colony for a period of six months from

Father William Whitmee. Rector of the English Catholic church of San Silvestre, in Capitie, who was to have accompanied Queen Downger Margherita to Japan, has just died at Rome.

near Virginia City, is dead, sged 82. Governor George L. Lilley, of Connecticut, funeral. has died at Hartford at any carly age.

The mishaps to the Satsuma-which

caught fire and ran into Woosung for help -and the Indrani-which ran on a rock near Kobe-is causing some tightness in the raw cotton market in Japan, both ships carrying a quantity of the staple among It is notified in the Government

has been pleased to direct that the officers in for the time being holding the posts of Police Magistrates for the New Territories shall discharge in the said Territories the duties performed by the coroner prior to at the passing of Ordinance No 5 of 1888. A meeting of His Majesty's Justices the Peace for the Colony will be held at the Magistracy, at 2.15 p.m., on Friday,

May 7th, for the purpose of considering an by the Administration in a proper and application from Sophia Mayer for the transfer to her from B. Mayer of the publican's licence to sell by retail intoxicating liquors on premises numbered 1, Jubiles pegging along stendily in the hope that Street, under the sign of the Colonial the future will find answers to the many | Hetel. The evening express to Tokyo which

left Kobe, on April 19 ran into a derailed freight train on the Rokugo river bridge, near Kawasaki and precipitated its engine, cos tender and mail yan in the deep mud. The passenger cars fortunately remained on the line, so that the deaths were limited to the stoker and the engine driver. Some four teen railway employees were injured, but the passengers escaped with a shaking.

An order made by the Governor-in-Council, published in the Government Guzette, defining the Districts into which the New Territories shall be divided lays down that there shall be established two District Land Offices. " One District is to be known as the Northern District and the other as the Southern District. The office for the Northern District, is to be situate at Tai Po, in the New Territories, and the office for the Southern District in the City

A BARGAIN. THEN you can save from 25 to 50 per cent on any article, you have a bargain. When you buy a bottle of Chamdoctor's bills before the summer is over,

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The next Gymkhana has been fixed for May 29th, weather permitting. The sport is likely to be as keen as ever. Programmes will be published in due course.

During the absence of the Empress Downgor, Lung Yil, to attend the late Emperor's funeral the Consort of the Prince Regent will stay in the Palaces to attend to and take care of the youthful

Shares of the Japan Sugar Company, which before the scandal broke upon the public stood at you 130, have fallen to yen 13. Eighty-four more members of Parliament have been appreliended in connection with the affair.

Hirado straits when she struck a sunken rock from which she was not released till 7 mm, on the 21st April. The Macrity and Ottown took the damaged destroyer into Nagasaki where she will be repaired. The repairs are expected to take a fortnight.

Speaking at a National demonstration at Liverpool Mr J. Redmond, M.P., said spirits by 3s 9d a gallon, producing a he believed dissension in Ireland was now at an end. Ireland's immediate need was the passage, with amendments, of Mr Birrell's Land Bill. Unless the Liberal party put Home Rule in the front at the next election, every Irishman in Great Britain would be advised to vote against

The North China Daily News says that The Bishop of Victoria will prouch at it is reported in native papers that a closed its doors with liabilities of Tls. is estimated that the surplus available 120,000. Besides being indebted to native The U. S. A. cruisers North Carolina banks in Foochow for considerable sums of condition of Chinese currency which, as and Montana have been ordered to the money, the hong owes six local native of Philippines. They are at present at Con- banks the sum of Tle. 60,000. It is stated that business failures, in the spring of this year have been considerably more than in

The Philippines Commission has at last taken up the slavery and involuntary servitude question in the islands, with the intention of putting a stop to it. Commissioner Worcester has presented to that body a bill providing that all slavery, involuntary servitude, (which is very common all over the islands,) peopage, or sale human beings, shall be illegal; and providing as the maddest Budget ever introduced the punishment to be meted out to those who do not obey the law on this subject.

THE IMPERIAL CHINESE FUNERAL.

To-day the first stage of the funeral of the late, Empiror of China and the late Empress Downger will begin, and the ceremonies are expected to extend over four duties days. Great Britain will be represented by her Minister at Poking, Sir John Jordan ; Japan has sent H. I. H. Prince Fushimi, while Russia sends a special Ex-Senator Stewart, of Nevada, part- mission headed by General Palitzine, a mer of the celebrated Couistocklode, member of the Council of the Empire. Over one million tacks will be spent in entertaining the foreigners' attending the

> MAGISTRATES' COM-MENDATION.

Inspector Collett charged a native at the Magistracy to-day with stealing a brass casting from the Taikoo Dock Yard. Another native who was also amployed at the Docks arrested prisoner, who called upon his comrades to come to his assistance. They did so and assaulted the native who arrested the thief, inflicting an ugly wound on his shoulder besides inflicting other injuries on his person. However, he gave information to the police and prisoner was re-arrrested this morning before he went to work. Mr F. A: Hazeland sentenced prisoner to one months' imprisomment without the option of a fine and one month for the assault, besides being banished after the expiration of his term of imprisonment. A sum of \$5 compensa-tion was ordered to be awarded to the person who arrested him and the head European watchmant who was present in The Court, was instructed by His Worship to ask the superintendent in charge to land. promote him if possible. His Worship also commended him for his courageous

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THE BUDGET.

MORE "HEN-ROOSTS ATTACKED.

Land : Liquer : Clubs : Tobacco:

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Il ... o London, April 30. The other Budget proposals include tax on Clubs, as well as various increases and graduations in the liquor taxes and licenses, producing £2,600,000.

The State is henceforth to take one H. M S. Fame was proceeding up the fifth of the uncarned increment value of urban land, which will produce £150,000, while there is also to be a tax of id in the & on the value of undeveloped urban land, which will yield £350,000.

It is proposed to raise the duty on further £600,000; and the duty, on unmanufactured tobacco is to be incrossed by 8d a pound and manufactured tobacco correspondingly; the revenue to be derived under these heads to amount to £1,900,000.

Changes in the stamp duties areestimated to produce £650,000.

After various minor adjustments it for contingencies will total £448,000.

The Budget has created a most profound" sensation throughout the coun_ try. The Conservatives describe it as plundering the middle clases and beg garing the reserve forces of the country, while the Liberals declare that its provisions mark an immense-

advance towards democratic finance. In the course of the debate in the House of Commons Mr John Redmond said the Nationalists would vigorously oppose this extraordinary Budget, while Sir Frederick Banbury, characterised it

A STRONGER MARKET.

LONDON, May 1. The markets are strong following the announcement of the Budget, Consols taking the lead.

There is to be an increase in stam; The reduction in the sinking fund is-

less than was expected.

THE TROUBLE IN PERSIA.

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LONDON, April 30. The Russian force has arrived at

HOLLAND'S HOPE

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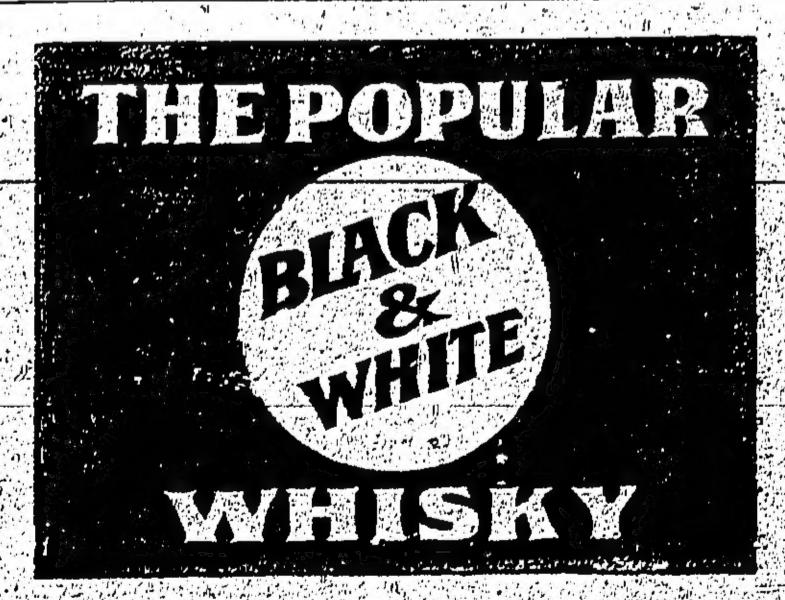
(rdinance S of 1874) LONDON, April 30. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland has

given birth to a daughter. NATIONAL REJOICINGS.

LONDON, May 1. Queen Wilhelminn's accouchement was slow but normal. Mother and child are progessing satisfactorily."

There are rejoicings throughout Hol-

A POPULAR AMERICAN REMEDY. MR. Fred. C. Hanrahan, a prominent druggist of Portsmouth, Va., U.S.A., says: "For the past six years I have sold and recommended Chamberlain's Colic. Cholers and Diarrhoes Remedy. It is a great remedy and one of the best patents medicines on the market." For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.



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ANOTHER POLICE RAID.

(From Our Ours Correspondent).

SHANGHAI'S ALHAMBRA.

SHANGHAI, May 1. The Shanghai Municipal police yesat noon raided the Alhambra, smashed the roulette wheels and furniture. There were no" arrests.

idea being that it is now up to the Alhambra people to prosecute the police.

JAPANESE MUNICIPAL LOAN.

OSAKA CITY BONDS FLOATED IN LONDON.

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LONDON, May 1. The 5 per cent city of Osaka bonds (£3,084,940,) issued at 97 have already been covered ten-fold.

SHANGHAI'S TAOTAI

(Wah The Yos Pe's Service.)

Peking, April 30. Taotai Choi Nai Wang, of Shanghai, who was recently denounced by the Governor of Kiangau, will probably not be removed from office, the Viceroy Tuan Fang having reported favourably concerning him.

KANTO.

(Wah Tax Yat Po's Service.)

Pakino, April 30. The Prince Regent has received in audience Ng Luk-ching, who has been negotiating with the Japanese concerning Kanto. The Prince Regent was 9 p.m. Popular Concert organized by the well satisfied with his report.

THE BOXER INDEMNITY

(Wah Ten Yat .. Po's Service.)

PEKING, April 50. Owing to the increasing weight of the Boxer Indomnity due to the lowness of exchange, the Board of Finance had directed the Provincial Covernments that the sum will be collected in proportion to the population of the various provinces participating.

STUDENTS AND THE STAGE.

(Wah Tst Yut Po's Service.)

PERING, April 30. Chinese students in Japan are prohibited by the Ministry of Education from holding, meetings and delivering speeches or performing on the stage.

DENOUNCED

Wah Ton Yat Po's Service.)

PEKING, April 30. Li Cha-chu, who is on a mission Japa to enquire into the Constitu tional system, has been denounced to the Thron.

BANDMANN DRAMATIC

COMPANY. "The Prisoner of Zenda."

Theatre Royal last night, when the Bandmann Dramatic Company opened its sesson. with the thrilling play "The Prisoner of counts at the Head Office have been audited Zenda," was due to the fact that of late Hongkong has been surfeited with theatrical performances, or that heavy productions | Matthews... Mesers Deloitte, Plender Grif do not appeal to residents here in the same fiths and Co., Chartered Accountants, degree as do farce and comody, it would be difficult to say. One thing, however, is certain, and that is that the high standard attained in last night's presentation was deserving of the most extended patronage. Indeed, if the Company continues as it has begun crowded houses will soon become the order of the day.

"The Prisoner of Zenda" admirably. lends itself to dramatisation, and the full force, of the thrilling situations caused by the Duke Michael's desperate but unsuccessful struggle to gain the Kingship of Ruritania was powerfully brought out by the members of the caste. In the dual role of Rudolf V. and Rudolf Rassendyll Mr Henry Dallas proved himself an actor of decided talent. His work was always dignified and restrained. Other successes were achieved by Mr Alec Alves (the Duke Michael), Mr Sydney T. Pease (Colonel Sapt) and Mr W. H. Rilly (Fitz Von Tarlenheim), while-miror-parts were. also, well, filled. Special mention in due of the clever and powerful interpretation of their parts given by Miss Florence Dalton, as Antionatte de Mauban, the Hongkong Observatory :lover and accomplice of the Duke, as well On the lat at 12.05 p.m.—The barometer as of the truly artistic work of Miss Lillian | has risen quickly over Japan, and fallen Lloyd as the Princess Flavia. The piece moderately over China. was beautifully staged and admirably Areas of low pressure are lying over acted, and the only marring feature was | Manshuria and over N.W. China, and the whe protracted intervals between the highest pressure is now situated over W. several acts. When a performance com- Japan. mences at nine o'clock it is not to the Fresh to moderate N.E. and E. winds

To-night Du Maurior's famous play "Trilby "-will be produced, while for the ing at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.01 inches. remaining nights of their stay with us the forecast for the 24 hours ending at neon Company has a most attractive and varied repertoire.

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ON'T allow twenty-four hours to clapso and Diarrhoes Remedy in your home. True, you may not need it within that time, but it is better than any doctor's prescription and worth twenty times, its cost in cases of diarrhoes, cramp, colic or dysentery, which are liable to come on auddenly at this season of the year. For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.

BIG FIRE IN DES VŒUX ROAD.

A fire which might have been attended with loss of life and greater damage, had it not been for the prompt arrival of the Fire Brigade, broke out at No. 130 Des Vœux Road soon after 5 o'clock this mornlag. It was a three storey building, the ground floor being occupied by a stationers! shop, the upper floors being sleeping compartments, and the whole building was complotely gutted. The fire had got a good hold before the alarm was given and there being a strong wind at the time it looked as i the whole block would be doomad. However, the firemen confined their attention to saving the adjoining houses and this was successfully accomplished. The damage is assimated to be about \$5,000 and it is understood that it is fully covered by insurance with the North British and Mercantile Insurance Co.

GARDEN FETE

Following is the programme of the Gardon Foth to be given in the Botanic Gardens on Wednesday, the 5th of May,

1909:--

4 p.m .- Overture, Band of "The Buffet" by kind permission of Col. Bayard and the Officers of the Regiment. 1.30 p.m.—Duologue." Mrs Worthington and Miss Ella Rows. Admission \$1,00 5 p.h. - Living Advertisements organized

by Miss Elutton Potts. Admission 5.30 p. ni. -Ju Jitsu and Juggling organised by the Nippon Club. Free.

6-7 p.m. - Jarley's Wax Works organized by Mrs Bayard. Admission \$1.00. 7.30 p.m. - Fortune Telling, Kicking the Football, Cafe Chantant, etc. Part II

.30-9 p.m. Musical Selections, Band of the "13th Rajputs," by kind permission of Col. Prior and Officers of the .Regiment." Rov. J. A. A. Baker. Free

9 p.m. Jarley's Wax Works organized Mrs Bayard, Admission \$1.00 The Chinese Fire Dragon wil walk through the Gardens

GOD SAVE THE KING. Refreshments of all kinds at fixed prices may be had during the afternoon and evening. Cold Buffet from 7.30 to 8.30 p.m.

COMPANY MEETING.

National Bank of China, Ltd.

The eighteenth ordinary annual general meeting of the National Bank of China Ltd., was held at the Bank premises, No. 5, Chater Road, to-day.

Mr.J. Scott Harston presided and there were present Mesars P. C. Potts, E. Haskell, E. Ellis, E. Raymond, J. Gourgey, P. Davidson, Sin Tak Fan, Chan Kee Pan, Loung, Pak Loung and P. Loureiro, acting

Mr P. Loureiro, acting manager, read the notice convening the meeting.

The Chairman said :- Gentlemen, -The such is life." directors have now the pleasure to submit to you the accounts and balance sheet for year ending 31st December, 1908. The gross profits, including \$10,223.00 brought forward from last year, are \$265,389.36. which, after deducting all charges, leave net profit of \$180,552.57, which the directors propose to deal with as follows: Piace to reserve fund \$150,000 and carry forward balance of \$30,552.57 to next account. Mr Horace Mocatta retires in rotation from the London Committee and Mr J Scott Harston from the Hongkong Board but, being eligible, offer themselves for reelection. During the year Mr E. S. Kadoori and Mr Ellis Kadoorie were elected as Directors and this now requires Whether the limited audience at the your confirmation. Mr G. C. Moxon resigned his seat on the board during his temporary absence from the Colony and does not now seek re-election. The ac by Mr A. R. Lowe, Chartered Accountant, and Mr E. A. M. Williams, A.S.A.A., the firm of Messrs Lowe, Bingham and

audited the London accounts. There being no questions the Chairman proposed the adoption of the report and Mr P. C. Potts seconded and the motion

was carried.

On the motion of Mr.E. Haskell seconded by Mr Ellis, Mesers H. Mocatta and J Scott Harston were re-elected to the London Committee and the Hongkong Board

On the motion of Mr E. Haskell seconded by Mr Ellis the appointment of Messrs E. S. Kadporie and Ellis Kadcorie to the board of directors was confirmed.

Messrs A. R. Lowe and E. A. M Williams were re-elected auditors on the motion of Mr P. C. Potts seconded by Mr P. Davidson, as also were Mesers Deloi te. Plender, Griffiths and Co., London auditors. The Chairman : - That finishes the business gentlemen; thank you for your attendance

WEATHER REPORT.

The fellowing notice is issued from

liking of an audience that a whole hour may be expected in the Formosa Channel should be absorbed in effecting changes of and along the northern shores of the China Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours and

1. Hongkong and Neighbourhood: N.

M.M. and E. winds, fresh to moderate; 2. Formosa Channel: Same as No. 1. 1.—South coast of China between Hougwithout Chamberlain's Colic, Cholers | kens and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. 4-South coast of China between Hougkeng and Halman : Same as No. 1

> There are mink headashe, billous headache, nervous headache. etc. Steams Headache

RAMBLING NOTES.

Like his immediate predecessor, ou present Governor is keen on seeing Volunteer movement becoming a vital interest for the youth and manhood of the Colony. The memorandum which Sir. Frederick Lugard has recently issued, the letter and speeches of Sir Henry Berkeley and the Hon, E. A. Hewett slibuld all tend to arouse the Colony to a proper sense of the situation. Of rourse there will be some response, but I fear nothing, like what the Governor hopes to see.

The trouble is there are not sufficient commissions floating around. Now if the Powers that be could guarantee that each new volunteer gecruit really did carry a tield marshal's baton in his knapsack, and that a commission lay, say at the und of a year's toil and moil in the ranks, why every man Jack in the Colony would take' the oath of allegiance. I know that it is impossible in this faulty world of ours for an army to be entirely composed of officers. Still there it is that is the sole and only reason why Voluntoering is not and beaten as well for their bachelorhood popular in Hongkong. No one wants to be proved too much for the young men of a ranker all the time, everyone wants the Tirnovo, who have addressed a petition to honour and glory of being an officer, with the Ministry of Finance declaring their the right to wear a natty mess uniform on that they may in future be permitted to occasion and to attend the Governor's escape from the shameful-beating of Fastlevues clad in fine raiment that Solomon pursecuted race. When will they leave might envy.

Our old friend Abdul Hamid - Abdul the Damned, Mr W. T. Stead once, in an excess of aplenetic had taste, called him-has submitted to his deposition very quietly. thought he would have put up a better fight than he did. But, stay, is he only laying low, like Brer Rabbit, to the even tual overthrowing of his enemies ! I mus say he never had my sympathies and uite agree with the late Lord Salisbury, indiscreet though the remark might have been coming from his lips, that when we aupported the Turk against the Russian we were backing the wreng horse.

But much water will run beneath the bridges. I imagine, ere the Turk retires from, Europe. The Russian Tsars, it is well known, have always cherished the hope o one day lording it over Constantinople. One of their ancestors married the on daughter of the last Emperor of Byzantiur and that, they say, constitutes their claim to be considered the rightful rulers of the city on"the Bosphorus. Besides, the mighty Church of San Sophia, now a Mahommedan mosque, is an ever-present inducement, to Greek Catholics to expel the Turk from Eurspe. But it will not come in our time. Limbyine.

An asteemed correspondent writes me - "Some folks who ramble round "fine themselves liable to change of ideas with change of surroundings. The long seavoyage has much to answer for in thi respect. Take as an instance the case three roving ramblers who lately arrived is our midst. she started from Home with the fixed intention of marrying the man she was engaged to on reaching Hongkong. He was in the North of China and accordingly rambled down here, full of happy ant cipations, to meet her. So far so good, But there was the Tertium Quid, whom She met on the way out. revolution all round. He has gone back North heart-broken : " She returns England. . The T. Q. meanwhile lives i hope of an eventual union with her. And

Another of my correspondents this week is our old friend Dr Wilder. Approaching Kobe he was moved to write some post cards. The one which came to me tinished "It is pleasant to sit on the deck and do nothing: Hope to see you all again in November." Hongkong re-echoes that hope but the spectacle of the streamous Amos Wilder doing absolutely nothing and taking pleasure in it, causes one to think.

That' was rather a pawky story the Scotiman got off the other day and I hope none of my Caledonian friends will object to my reproducing it for their benefit. The yarn runneth : He was a cautious, middle aged wooer, and, with certain reservations, he had bestowed his mature affections on the Minister's cook. He had satisfied himself as to her suitability in all respects. with the exception of one important point, and that was giving him a good deal of mental disturbance; he felt that the quesup before he committed himself irretrievably." On bluntly asking her how she was off for disiller," his prospective funcee rather cast a chill over his intentions by admitting that she had little in the world beyond the contents of her, "kist." However, anxious to make the best of her prospects, "she volunteered the cheering information that she had a rich auntie-"wi! a cough." "Aweel, Jean," remarked her lover, after eliciting some details regarding the auntie - and the cough Wo'll just say neathing the noo. It's terrible tryin' time the spring, and ye ken ma feelin's if a black-edged letter comes."

The thanks of the several lawn tennis clubs in the Colony are due to Mr A. O. the new Summer Tennis League. As a result of his forethought there will be which they are associated. But what are request at \$25."" the ladies to do? There is truth in the Refineries.—Chius Sugars also Luzons statement made in the pathetic but anonymone appeal of one of the fair sex that for them there is no opportunity for competitive tennis in the Colony. But I thought that these were the days of women's independence. If so here is their chance A. Ladies' Tennis League organised, confined to, and run by the gentler ones would be a distinct novelty and a triumph for their net. Failing that I am afraid that act the part of entertainers and by their encouragement urge their favourites on to

Who said that women wanted the vote I sellers in the North at Tla. 1674. At the Croydon bys-election recently I observe that by some means the names of informed whether the infuence was Hotels continue in request at \$85. brought about as a result of the succession | Cotton Mills - Ewes are ceaser with 12 of alternative attack of heat and chill sellers in the North at Tla. 122 and Soy

occasioned by the feverish anxiety to participate in a totally new experience. whether she merely took convenient refuge in a prevailing epidemic and was thus able. with modesty characteristic of her sex to

What is the world coming to ! Soon wa poor old bachelors shall not be able to exist with any feelings of security, for I observe that at last a much-talked-of proposition has taken on practical shape and that the hard-headed, unemotional class of the community, unmarried men, are to be really taxed. No. dear Colonial, it does not apply to Hongkong as yet, so you may breathe freely. Bulgaria's administrators are the culprits. The Sobranje, at the instance of an Opposition Deputy, has passed a law compolling all bachelors over thirty years of ago to pay an annual tax of ten francs, which, with local additions. really amounts to about sixteen francs year! Curiously enduch, the law was adopted unanimously: But the matter does not end here, for opposition has been raised in the ancient 'expital, Tirnovo. where an old custom provides that on the first Monday in Lent all, young men who have not married during the Carpival sea-

ovade a situation which might conceivably

prove embarrassing in the extreme.

A correspondent points out the advant ages of system in business and concludes:-I am glad to see that the Tramway Co. go in for system by having a time indicator at Causeway Bay, for their car service to Shaukiwau, etc. On Thursday evening I indicator which read as follows :- 'Next car to Shaukiwan 7.48.' The good and faithful servants were busily engaged in smoking and talking. After all there is nothing like a good systam. It was so near the office." I trust the matter will receive due

The bicycle and the motor-car both have caused wails from pedestrians, who have had fears of being driven off the roads, and now the aeroplane is to come in for its share of abuse. Will these machines frighten. birds? Will they break windows? Will they cut telegraph wires? Will they damage Cathedral spires? Will they oucourage criminality by providing burglars with an easy means of escape? Will they make international tariffs impossible? Will Naval supremacy be futile? To all these questions the "League against Excess of Aviation," which has sprung into existence to hold in check a hurrying people, has a rendy answer. . It is "Yes" in every case Crops will suffer, birds will disappear, the revenue will diminish, and architectural trunsures will be endangered through the coming of the flying machine. Only crime will prosper. But lest this should happen without a protest the league has drafted list of rules which it proposes that society at large shall make law. Among them is ordained :—" (1.) That no aeroplane sha ly at a speed of more than 20 miles an hour. (2.) That descents on military ritory or cultivated land or on pleasure grounds shall be prohibited. (3.) acroplanes shall be taxed at a tariff of one tenth of a penny per square centimetre of their surface." It makes the inventor tremble, I should think. RAMBLER.

A brisk demand for most stocks has ruled in our market during the past week, and a fairly good business has resulted. Rates in many cases have further appreciated, the tendency at the close being towards further firmness. Bar Silver in London has improved to 24gd and sterling T.T. to 1/941 The T.T. rate on Shanghai is quoted at 74g, and the Bank's buying rate for 3ds. bills at 751. The rate in Shanghai for 3ds. bills on this is 74%

tion of "tocher" must be definitely cleared been in good demand; and sales have been booked at from \$940 to \$950. At the close a few shares, are obtainable at the latter rate. London is unchanged at £89 10s. Nationals have buyers at \$51 but are with- quoted at Tls. 91, and Laou Kung Mows out business.

> have been neglected during the interval. and there are no sales to report." Perak Sugars in the North have jumped to Tis. 160 with buyers.

18, and Charbonnages at \$625.

they will have to be content to gracefully at \$79. There are buyers of New Amoy Docks at \$31, and of Shanghai Docks at Tls. 87. Hougkong and Kowloon Wharves have hardened, and after sales at 853 and \$54 are now enquired for at \$55. Shanghai and Hongkew Wharves are easier with Lands, Hotels, and Buildings, Hone-

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SHARE REPORT.

Messra Vernon and Smyth in their weekly share report under date April 30th

Banks, - Hongkong and Shanghais have

Marine Insurances. - Unions have improved considerably and sales up 8805 are reported, market closing with buyers at the rate. Cantons have again been done at \$1874 and more shares can be placed. There are buyers of China Traders, North Chinas and Yangtazes at quotations, but no local transactions are reported.

booked at \$335, and there are buyers now reduced rate of \$150. Brawn for initiating and undertaking the at \$3371 but supplies are not available lion's share of the work in connection with under \$340. Chinas are firm with buyers

Shipping.-Houghong, Canton & Macaes brought, into being a friendly spirit of have been sold at \$30, and more shares inter-club rivalry, and the little series of are wanted. Indes have improved to \$80 matches to be played off should have a for the combined preferred and deferred stimulating "effect amongst players" who issues, and Shell Transports to 58/6. China previously have had to be content with odd and. Maniles are cosier with sellers at \$12 games against whoever might happen to and Douglases at \$36. Star Ferries (old) turn up on the courts of the Club with have been booked, and are in further

> Mining. - Raubs are obtainable at \$8. Chinese Engineerings are wanted at Tls.

Docks, Wharsesand Codowns .- Hongkong and Whampos Docks are weak with sellers

two ladies crept into the voters' list. But kong Lands under a demand from the did either of them exercise the franchise? North have improved to \$99 with buyers. Neither. One of them from the very first | but no sales are reported. Shanghai declared that she should not think of going Lands have been sold to the North at Tla. On demand. to the polling booth, while the other had 118 and Tls. 1171, market closing with sel-Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ...\$57.26 been unfortunately ordered to the sesside lers at the higher rate. West Points conjust before the election day owing to an tinue in request at \$44 and Kowloon Lands attack of influenza, So the position may would probably also find buyers at \$30. HEADACHE occurs in many forms and be summed up thus :- One non-starter, one Humphreys Estates have improved to \$9 Claimese Copper Cash ...

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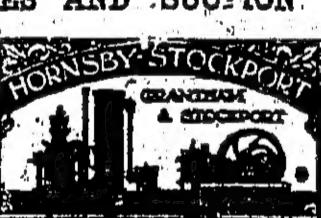
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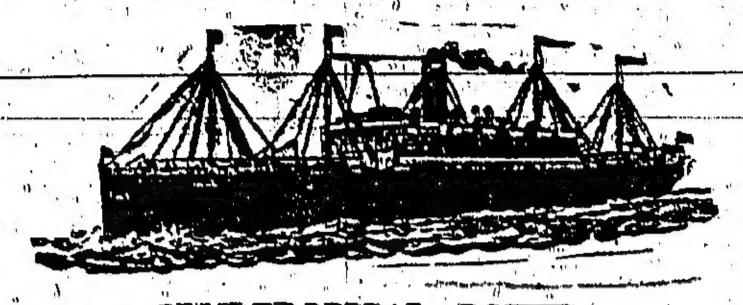
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TIME TABLE. WEEK DATE. 7.00 a.m. to 7.30 a.m. Every 30 minutes 7.30 s.m. to 10.60 s.m... Every 10 minutes 10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes. 11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
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SUNDAYS. 8.00 s.m. to 9.00 s.m. Every 15 minutes. 9.00 a.m. to 9.80 a.m. Every 30 minuter 9.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes. 10.80 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minuter. 11.45 c.m. to 12 Noon. Every 15 minutes. 12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes. 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minuter 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes. 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 7.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 estimates. NIGHT JARS as on Week Days

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BANKBUPTCY HAWE IN HONGKONG.

CHURCH" SERVICES. EUNDAY, MAY 2nd, 1909.

St. John's Cathedral. SED SUNDAY AFTER BASTER. Moly Communion (7.30, a.m.) Matins (11 a.m.) (Full Choir). Responses, Ferial : Venite, Goas : Paalms, Not the 2nd morning (I. II. I.); To Doung Gadaby in E fist Jubilate. Hayes; Anthem, " O praise God "

Hely Communicated 2-noon).

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13, 14, 20 in unison; Parlin' 11, Verse- 1, 7 in unison. Evensong (5.45 pm.) Responses, Fernal , Psalms, of the 2nd ovening.(I); Magnificat, Camidge (12th Morning); Nanc Dimittie, Woodward,

(14th evening); Hymns, 204, 172 and

UNION CHURCH, KENNEDY ROAD.

Minister :- Rev. C. H. Hickling. 11 a.m. - Warship, Hymna 489.-18,-291, Paslm 43 (Invocation 222), Magnificat 3 p.m. -Children's Service in the Posk

Church conducted by Rav. C. H Hickling. 6 p.m.-Worship, Hymns 615, 441, 158 618; Penim 1 0; Wednesday, 5.30 p.m.—Annual meeting of

Friday, 5 p.m. - Ohristian Endeavour Solaty. Subj et- Service.

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road, ... West.

3RD SUNDAY AFTER MASTER Morning Prayer 11 a.m. Venice, Arnold; Paslus, Goss, etc.;

Te Doum, Oakeley; Hymna, 4, 825, 307, 221 ; Kyrie. Holy Communion 12-15. . Evanising Prayer 6.30. Gloria : Magnificat, Gosa ; Nunc Dimittis,

Farranc; Hymns, 344, 415, 371, 15; The Church launch " Day: pring," will sall 'ma ships carrying white craws to bring friends asherento the services between 9.15 and 10. Wh.mu and between

5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier 10.80 and 6), returning afterwards. Al the sittings are free and unappropriated, Visitors are welcome. Books &c., provided. Sunday school 10-10.45 a.m. Wanch's Lustitute :- Bible class 3 o'clock ;

St Andrew's Church, Kowloon,

Gospel Meeting 8 o'clock.

Morning Service at 11 samp and Holy Communion at moon by the Rev. C. E. Thompson: Evening Service at 6 p.m. Preacher,

the Lord Bish p of the Diocese. Services on Sandays are :-Hely Communion on 1st, 3rd and 5th ' Sundays of the month at neon. on 2nd and 4th Sun-

dayн at 8 в.т. Morning Prayer; -at'11 a.m. Evening Prayer: -at 6 p.m. Children's Service :- at 3 p.m on 3rd Sundays of the month.

Sunday School :- it 3 p.m. on other Sundays of the mouth.

Peak Church. Holy Communion :- 8 s.m.

German Chapel (Deutsche Kapelle) High Str. 1. German Service at II a.m. Pastor Johan nes Müller.

Wesleyan Methodist Church. Wanchai

Sunday services : 10.15 a.m. Preacher Rev. T. W. Scholes, M.A. 6.10 p.m .- Preschor : Rev. J. A. A. Baker. Subject for Sunday morning :- "Science

and Prayer." The Secrement of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the evening service.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home Arsenal Street. Sunday 3p.m. P.S. A .- 8 p.m. Gospel Meet-

ing to be conducted by Mr Allington. Monday 8 p.m. - Fellowship, Meeting. " Wednesday 8 p.m.-Garden Fête Botanie Gardens Saturday 8 p.m. - Prayer Meeting.

Deutsche Kirche. Cottendienst :-- um 11 Uhr. in Bethesd Kapelle, Caine Road.

Christian Science Bervices. ZETLAND STERET.

Off Queen's Road Central. Ragular Services, Sundays, 11.15 a.m. Wednesdays, 5.30 p.m. The "eading Room at the same address will be open; daily from all a.m. to 2 p.m., and from 3 p.m. to 5,45 p.m.

St Joseph's Church. Mass, Sermon (English) and Benediction at 10 a.m.

Rosary Church, Kowloon. In future there will be two Divine Services in the Rosary "Church, Kowloon, on Sundays and Obligation days ; First Mass at 7 a.m.; Second Mass at 9 a.m. followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

THE Steamship

MANILA having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardons Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, notified to send in their Bills of Lading for Kowloon and West Point Godowns, whence | countersignature, and take immediate dedelivery may be obtained.

No olsims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods will be landed at once at Consignees' risk remaining undelivered after the 8th of and expense. May, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods DAY, May 4th. 1909, at Noon, will be are to be left in the Godowns where they landed and stored at Consignees risk and

will be examined on the 8th of May, at expense. All Claims must reach us before the 12th uffected. of May, 1909, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. MELCHERS & CO.

Hongkong, May 1, 1909.



Charterhouse Sq.: Faris, S. Rue de la Paix; Austra-ha, R. Towns & Co., Sydney; India, Is. R. Paul, Calcutta; China, Hong Keer Brue Co.; Javan, Haruya, Lid., Tokie; Russia, Ferrela, Moscony; So. Africa, London, Lid., Cape Town, ric.; U.S.A., Police Drug & Chem. Corp., Sois Props., Rosion.

To-day's Advertisements



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY. Notice of Adjudication and Appointment

of Trustee. No. 24 of 1908.

.Re CHAN YUR SHAN lately carrying on business as Cinnamon Merchant at No. 89, Des Voux Road Central, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong.

THE above named CHAN YU SHAN was adjudicated Bankrupt on the . Apply to . 29th day of April, 1909, and the Official Receiver, Mr GEORGE HERBERT WAXEMAN, was appointed Trustee of the Estate of the Bankrupt.

Notice of Public Examination.

No. 24 of 1908;

Re CHAN YUE SHAN as aforesaid,

NTOTICE is hereby given that Thursday, the 6th day of May, 1909, a o'clock in the forencon, has been fixed for the Public Examination of the above named Debtor at the Supreme Court. ..

Notice of Receiving Order and First General Meeting of Creditors. No. 7 of 1809.

Re THE LUN YIE Firm, lately carrying on business as Confectioners at No. 304. Des Vœux Road West, Victoria aforesaid.

Receiving Order dated the 22nd day o Petition dated the 14th day of April

CATURDAY, the 8th day of May, 1909, at 12 o'clock at Noon, precisely, has been fixed for the First General Meeting of Creditors in the above Matter, to be held at the Supreme Court. House, Victoria aforesaid, in the Small Court.

No Creditor can vote unless he previously proves his debt... Forms of Proof and Proxy can be obtained at the Official Receiver's Office during

At 'then First General Meeting the Oreditors will be asked to consider whother the Debtor shall be adjudged Bankrupt or whether they, the Creditors, will entertain a proposal for a Composition or Scheme of Arrangement.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1909. G. H. WAKEMAN. Official Receiver.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP. COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, JAPAN & SHANGHAL

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship

The aboved-named steamer having arrived Consigness of Cargo are hereby livery of cargo from alongside. Cargo impeding discharge of the vessel

Cargo remaining on board after TUES.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be All cargo jundelivered " SATURDAY. May 8th, 1909, at Noon will be subject

All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the above Company's Godown THURSDAY, May 6th, 1909, 4

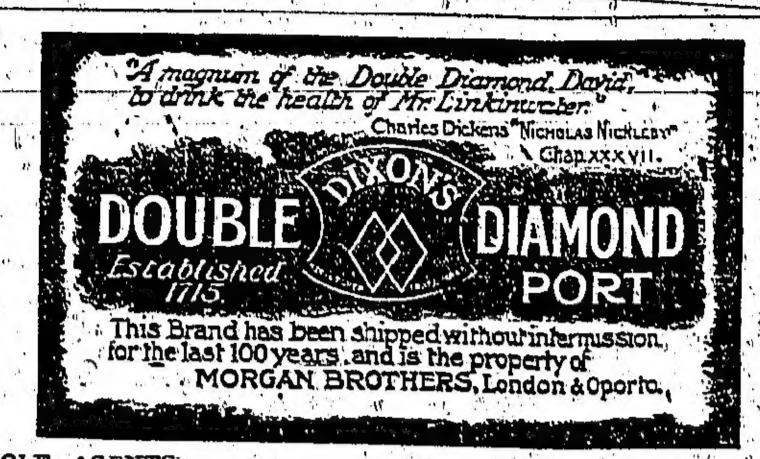
S. SILVERSTONE Hongkong, May 1, 1909, 590 5

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174, QUEENS BOAD CENTRAL, Hongkong, February 23, 1909.



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To-day's Advertisements | To-day's Advertisements |

GOVERNMENT BILLS. for SPECIE, BRITISH and MEXICAN DOLLA'RS, current

in this Colony, in Exchange for Sterling Bills drawn at '10 days' sight on the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Tressary, London, will be received by the TREASURY CHEST OFFICER ARRY FAX DEPARTMEN'T, until 11 A.M. on TUESDAY, the 4th May, 1909. The Tenders to state the total amount

(in Pounds Sterling) and the amount for which each Bill should be drawn, but no Bills will be issued for less than £100. The Tenders to be in Duplicate, and in Scaled Covers, addressed to the TREASURY CHEST OFFICER, ARMY PAY DEPARTMENT, and endorsed 'TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT

The right to accept or reject any or all of the tenders is reserved Copies of Ferms of tender can be had on

H. D. STACFOLE. Treasury Chest Officer.

His Majesty's Treasury Office, Fiongkong, April 30, 1909. "NOTICE.

Have This Day resumed my BUSI-NESS of SHARE and GENERAL BROKER. THOMAS I. ROSE.

"Hongkong, May 1, 1909. NOTICE. DURBERY WATERPROOF COAT

Di found in the Jockey's Room, Grand Stand, on Saturday I st. OF. H. MAY."
Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hougkong, May 1, 1909. TO LET.

Furnished Four-Roomed HOUSE, at Ferry. Immediate possession.

Usre of 'CHINA MELL,' Office.' Hongkong, May 1, 1909. THE CHINESE ENGINEERING AND

MINING CO., LTD. NOTICE.

N INTERIM DIVIDEND of One February, 1909, bas been declared by the and Mails, on SATURDAY, the loth May, Directors of the above Company. May, at the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, with the Company's Steamship India. AUSTRALIA AND CRINA and the RESSO- 8,000 tons, from Colombo, Passengers' CHINESE BANK St-TIENTSIN and SHANGHAI, accommodation in which vessel is secured J. S. DOBIE,

Hongkong, April 30, 1909.



PUBLICO AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 3rd day of May, 1909, at 3 r.M., at the offices, of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of CKOWN LAND at Pokfulum in the Colony of Hobgkong, for a term of 75 years.

> Particulars of the Lot. 1 6121

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From 1st May, 1909. Buttercup "Brand 85 cents per 1b. Dairymaid Brand. B. 70 Daisy Brand......75 May be had in 1 lb. pata.

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th Stalls and Sationd-clean; Box Plan at ROBINSON PIANO Co., Lo. FIRST MATINEE TO-MORROW AFTERNOON, at 3.30 P.M. When Children under 12 years will be admitted at halfprice to all parts of the Circus. Special Trams will be run after the Pur-

Doors open at 8 p.m. Overture 9. Refreshments supplied by GREEN & Co. A. JACKSON, Representative. Hongkong, April 22, 1909.



STRAITS, CETLON AUSTRALIA. Kowloon, with Carden. Close to INDIA, ADEN, ECYPT, MEDITER-RANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

Through Bills of Lading usued for BATA-VIA, PERSIAN, GULF, "TINENTAL;" AMERICAN AND SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship DELTA, Captain B. W. SNOW, Carrying His Ma-AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of One I B. W. Snow, carrying His Ma-iree of tax, on account of year ending 28th this for BOMBAY, &c., with Passengers 1909, at Noon, taking Passengers and Corron No. 12 is payable on the 1st Cargo for the above ports in connection

before departure from Mongkong. Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Teafor.London(understrangement) will steamer proceeding to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay by the R.M.S.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are Fer, further Particulars, apply to

E. A. HEWETT. Superimendent. Hougkeng, May 1, 1809.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. April 30.

Amigo, German str., 771, H. Frandsen, Hoibow April 29, General .- Jansen & Co. May 1. Manile, German str. 1,790, J. Minssen Sydney April 8, and Manila 28, General.

-MELCHERS & Co. Tipanas, Dutch str., 2,469, A. W. La. Rooy. Maji and Amoy April 29, General. -JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN. Marie, Gorman steamer, 1,169, P. Christiammen, Newshang and Chefoo April 25,

General - JEBSEN & Co. Hongkong French str., 742, A Corne linean, Haiphong and Holhow April 30, General - A. R. MARTY. China, American steamer, 3,186, M. T. Bailey, San Francisco and Shanghai April

Anhui, Brisish str., from Canton. May 1. Assaye, for Singapore and London.

28, Mails and General .- P. M. S. S. Co.

Fooshing, for Shanghai. Ricangie, for Ningpo. Cheongahing, for Swatow. Drufur, for Hongray. Indian Monarch, for Dalay. Pelchaburi. for Swatow. Rubi, for Masila. Indramayo, for Singapore and New York

Chiquen, for Shanghai.

95 Keemun, for Saigon and Liverpool.

PASSENGERS.

Per China, from San Francisco, &c. Mr. Richard Van Unruh Mr E. A. Mackintosh, Mr. W. A. Milstead, Mr and Mrs D. E. Newell, Mr and Mrs R. O. Rasmussen, Mr Adolph Stoffens, Mr J. C. Sinburn, Mr John F. Wholan, Mr and Mra White,

S Potter. S. W. Halan and J. Drude.

Bishop Barlin and parry! Meases A. Blans, H. Winterbotham, E. S. raker, D. Straker, Shanghal. Mrs and Miss McConnall, Mrs Boobles,

Mr and Mrs W. Benson, Mrs Kerkhoven and child. Mrs T. C. Goodman, Mrs V. Miss L White, Mr N. White, Mrs S. Backrach, Mr and Mrs J. A. Davis, and Mr Steffnis.

pean Line) left Shaughsi for this por on the 30th April, and is expected here on the 3rd May. The C. N. Co,'s s.s. Knifong left Holle on the 29th April, and may be expecied here on the 3rd May. be transhipped at Celembo into the mail The N. Y. K. s.s. Sado Maru (European Line) left Singapore for this port or

the 28th April, and is expected her on the Sed May. Arabia, due in London on the 26th June, The Java-China-Japan Lijn steamer Tji kind left Moji for this port on the 29t April, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 4th May, p.m. the s.s. Korunna left Singapore on Wed nesday, the 28th April, a.m., and

the 3rd May. For SHANGHAL ... For Tungshing, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 3rd May. For CALLAO (Peru). Per Lothian, a: 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the

6 h May For BATAVIA, CHERIBON, SAMA Vessels Advertised as Loading.

DESTINATION. VESSELA. DATE OF LEAVING Australian Ports Aldenham (s)......... 3ibb Livingston & Oc. May PG, at noon. Coast Ports & Shanghai Choshun Maru (s) ... Osaka Shoesn Kaisha.. May 11, at 10 a.m. A. Friends, Mr J. H. Ogle, Mr S. Inouye, Genos, Mar., L'don, &c Miyasaki Maru (s) Nippon Yuson Kalaha. About May 5. Frank, Mine A. Frank, Mr T. W. Pource, Japan & Portland, Or. Arabia (a) Portland, & A. S. Co. About Apr. 27. Tjikini (a) Java-China-Japan Lijn Lat half May. and Mrs John A Davis, Mrs C. A. Dewitt Robe and Yokohama Sado Mara (a) Nippon Tusen Kataha. May o. p.m. Goo. A. Pischer, Mes M. A. Goss, Miss M. Mar., Harre t. H'burs Briggevia (s) Hamburg-Am'ke Linie Mey S. Holliday, Mrs.C. Harst, Mrs C. E. Jaffee Maraeilles London &c. Hakata Maru (a)...... Nippon Yusun Kalaha, May 12, Daylight. Marguerire Lind, Messageries J. K. Klein, Marseilles, v. Saigon. Tonkin (s)...... Messageries Maritimes May 11, at I p.m. Wm. Codbury, O. G. Ogle, N. G. Tinpo, Manila Yuensang (e)........ Jardine, M'son &Co, Ld Way 7, at 4 p.m. Manila Loongsang (a). Jardine, M'son &Co, Ld May 14, at 4 p.m. Manila Zafiro (s)...... Shewan, Tomes & Co. May R. at Noon. from Sim; sonhafen, Mr Horstmann, Capt. Manila, A'llan Ports ... Yawata Maru (a) Nippon Yusen Kalaha. May 12, at noon. from Friedrich Wilhelmshafan, Mr Bethke: Naki, Kobe & Yhams Nikke. Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaishs. May 12. at North. King, Mossra, George W. St. Clair, John San Francisco v. Japan Siberia (a) Pacific Mall S.S. Co... May 4. at Noon. Potter S. W. Halan and J. Drude. San Francisco v. Japan Chins (s) Pacific Mail S.S. Co... May 11, at Noon.

Per Amigo, from Holhow, Messrs Bos San Francisco v. Japan Manchuriz (s) Pacific Mail S.S. Co... May 18, at Noon. San F'cisco via Japan. Chivo Maru (a) Toyo Kisan Kalaha ... May 22, at Noon. Per disage, for Landon, &c., Capr. M. S'haf, Kobe & Y'hams Polynosien (a) Messageries Maritimes About May 10 Dan Neves, Mr and Mrs J. C. Peter, S'row, Amoy & Temeni Dajin Mara (a) Osaka Shoson Kalaha. May S. at 10 a.m. Major and Mrs Hole, Messrs C. Simpson, S'tow, Amoy & Tamsu Daigi Maru (4) Osaka Shosen Kaisha. May 9, at 10 a.u. Wel mann, A. H. Barlow, Dr Drummond, S'hai, N'kl, Kobe, Y'ms Prinz Eltel Friedrich Melohers & Co....... A hout May 6. Anhui (a) Butterfield & Swire ... May 2. Daylight. Shanghal Chinhua (s)..... Butterfield & Swire .. May 6, at 1 p.m. Miss Anderson, Rev. W. F. Oldham, Mrs Shanghal...... Tunushing (s) Butterfield & Swire.... May 3, at 4 p.m. Stewart and family, Miss Ellworthy, Miss Shanghal............ Chunsany (s) Jardine, M'son & Co, Ld May 5. at Noon. S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Halyang (a) Douglas Laprair & Co. May 7, at 2 p.m. Youdan, Mr and Mrs Vyaloc and family, Swatow
Rev. P. Paharilo, Mesars T. J. Gate, M. Stow. Amoy & Fichow Haitan (a)

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Maru, Sydney, Luwachin Maru, Princ		nares.		142.	Gast.
Ludwig. ARRIVALS AT HOME.	Hongkong and Shanghal Bang Corp	120,000	1, 1,20	ali	[3950, collers
April 20, Kleist, News.		1 1			£89.10
	National Bank of Ohina, Limited	39,925	E	2 "50	\$51, buyon
STEAMER MOVEMENTS.	Canton Insurance Office Co., Lik	10,000	250	10 00	71871, Falos & hayers"
The C. P. P. Colone Made and	[Unius Traders Insurance Co., Id.,	24,000		\$ 25	1854. n'i i same.
The C. P. R. Co.'s as. Monteagle arrived at Shanghai at 8 a.m. on Friday, the	North-Uhina Insurance Co., Ld.	30,000	2, 15	E	Thi 105, buyers
o 20th April, and 1 ft again at 4 p.m.	The state of the s	10,000	250	1	805, buyers
on the same day for Hongkong.	Kaugisze Insurance Association Ud.	12,000	- T00	# 60	1202 hayers
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on Monday, the 3rd May. The C. P. R. Co. a s.s. Empress of India	Thins Fire Insurance Co., Lo.	20,700	100	50	1106, brayers
· left Vancouver for Hongkong via usual	The state of the s	1 18-000 F	360		13371, bayer
ports of call at p.m. on Thursday.	El keng & Whampon Dock Ob., Ld.	30,000 I	. 50	all	179, notions
the 22nd April. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.z. Empress of Japan		4 7	. 45		\$11. sellers
left Yokohama on Tuesday, the 20th		\$8,0(X)	1 - 1 - 1		
April at 3 p.m., for Victoria and Van-	New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd	. £(); £()()		Tlattin	\$94, hayers The 87, hayers
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with dates from Berlin of the 7th		30,000			
April, left Co ombo on Saturday, the	Douglas Steamship Co., Limited, H.R. O. and M. Steamheat Co., Ld	20,000	. 5 0 15	2 75	\$36. selves & harnes
21th April, p.m., and may be expect-		40,000 E	. Tr	ell .	301, buyers London,
ed here on or about Wednesday, the 5th May.	Indo-China S. N. Company, L.d.	80 000 E			\$29, ±7.2
The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Manchurid	Star Serry O mpany, brt	10,000	(3)	* 10	\$25, sales & buyers
tailed from Yokohama on the 27th	Shall Tringman to Was dearest at 45	10,03	10		1 015
. April via Kobe, Nagasaki and Manila,	Taku Tug and Eighter On., Ltd	1,000,000 £	·6 ·60	Tie. 50	58/6 buyers
and is due to arrive at this port on May	Shanghal Tug and Lighter Co., Ld. 1	200,500 T	14.	The so	Tla. 51
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The C. N. Co. a s.s., Chinhua, left Shang-	buzon Sugar Company, Limited	\$6,000 8 7,0111 €		33	81374 andre a
m hai on the 29th April, and may be	Perak Sugar Onitivation Co., Ld	7,000 T	A 63		Tin. 160, buyorr
expected here on the 2nd May.	TRARVES.		(2)	w	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
he r.s. Lightning from Calcutta, left	H.K. & Kow. Wharf& Godown Co	80,000	60	all	főő, buyers
Singrpore on Taesday morning, the	Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co	83,000 T	in, 100	Tie100	Tis. 1674
or shirt the 2nd May.	CARD AND BUILDING.			5 10	
he N. Y. K. s.s. Coulon Mary (American	Hongkong Land Investment and }	77 000 5	inn.	100	1 10
Line) left Shaugh i for this work		50.000 S	100	100	482, buyers
on the 29th April, and is expected	Shanghai Land Investment Co.	78,000 T	.50	Tis.50	The 118, sellers
here on the 2nd May.	Kowloon Land and Building Com-	20 4			31.
he N. Y. K. s.s. Miyasaki Maru (Euro- pean Line) left Shanghai for this port.	pany	3'Usc 3	50	\$ 30	\$30
on the 30th April, and is expected	to be-put- upt Dabe on Dations Cottain	3,874 T	10. 25	Tla.25	Pia. 9
here on the 3rd May.	Hamphreys Estate & Finance Co West Point Building Co., Limited	150,000 8	- 1U I	" all " h	O salas & hamans
he C. N. Co.'s s.s. Knifong left Iloilo'	TRAMWAYS.	12.506	20.1	🛡 . ភប 🗜	844, buyars
on the 29th April, and may be ex-	and the file of the same of the	25,000 \$	1.0	sli ·	1.814
he N. Y. K. a.s. Sado Maru (Enropean	The Peak Tramways Co., Ltd {	50,000	16	1	182
Line) left Singapore for this port on	Seeded Toronto des Chapter 1	-		0 6	and the second second
the 25th April, and is expected here i	Société Francise des Charpon-	18,0171	301)	SIX :	825, buyirs
on the 3rd May.	Rank Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ld	200,000	3 1	18/10	18. nollors
he Java-China-Japan Lijn steamer Tji-	HOTELS, ETC.	2 1	50	-17 15	
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due here on or about Tuesday, the 4th	LIGHTING.	The state of the s			Section of the sectio
he Java China-Japan Lijn str. Tjibedas	H.R. and China Gas Co., Limited		10	ALL:	210, buyers
lett Macasiar for this port on the 28th	Shanghai Gas Company, Lod.		10.	1.18.80 T	Ms. 116
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here on or about the 4th May.	Green Island Comone Cu. Ld.	100.000	4.10		8.90, seller
" Singapore on 29th April, and may be	H.K. Milling, Co. Ld., in Liquidation	10,000 \$_	A Desired Landson, Name of Street, or other Persons of Street, or other Persons or other Pe	100 1	Te minal
expected here on 5th May.	Ben's Asbeston Kantorn Agancy,	3.504 £	12/0	12/5 8	10; buyers
he Java-China-Japan Lijn atr. Tjimahi	United Asbestos Oriental Agency,	.cooner 5	10	1. 4 S	
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ain ob the 28th April, and may be	Robinson Piano Co., Limited	4.000	60	60 8	59
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- SWATOW, AMOY & TAMBUL	Boy Chen Cotton Spinning Co. Ld.	2.000 Tt	590 1	T (Odati	10,403
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